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THURSDAY, SEPT. 1, 1898.

YUKON DISCUSSION.

The principal subject mentioned
in the speech from the throne and
causing discussion during the first
day of the North-West Assembly,
was the Yukon country. Mr.
Haultain's government was sub-
jected to severe criticism by Dr.
Brett for their policy in regard to
it. He charged the government
with the loss of the Yukon through
inactivity. He said they had not
made every effort to safeguard the
territory. Time had been let pass
unemployed till the Dominion gov-
ernment placed the control of the
country in their own hands. Out-
side the House also the question has
and is being discussed. The Mon-
treal Witness, of Aug. 25th, con-
tains an editorial condemning the
policy of Mr. Haultain's govern-
ment from entirely different reasons
from Dr. Brett. It says that Mr.
Haultain hastened to assume the
control of the Yukon. The two
arguments against the government
form a strong contrast; Dr. Brett's
"totally inactive," and the Wit-
ness's "hastened to assume." Per-
haps both are best understood by
considering the motives which
prompted them, and both are the
antipodes of the facts as found by
reading Mr. Haultain's address on
the subject to the House. The
Witness goes on to say that if
Major Walsh said at Dawson City
that the license commissioner sent
thither by the North-West Terri-
tories had no right to issue licenses
there, though technically wrong,
was morally right. That means
that Mr. Haultain was legally right
in claiming the jurisdiction of the
Yukon country at that time. Now,
if he was technically right, he was
right accordingly to the laws of
Canada, and it wasn't only a right
he might claim, but it was his duty
to look after the affairs of the coun-
try, as he did do. It would be a
singular course to follow to remain
inactive, as the Witness would sug-
gest, when there was no other
provision made for the country's
administration. It would be a singu-
lar course to pursue to act contrary
to the law, because some might
claim it was morally right to do so.
It would be a singular policy to
meet parliament with, and a singular
defence for the loss of a rich terri-
tory, that he was possessed of a
little moral law of his own which
said he had nothing to do with the
Yukon, and therefore he had ig-
nored the laws of the land which
he was serving. Such a policy as
this might well call forth Dr. Brett's
phrase of "totally inactive." The
opposite to this policy has
brought a much stronger and
more unjust one from the Witness,
which says, "Mr. Haultain, in doing
what they did," that is, what it was
their bounden duty to do, "have
been acting the part the worst
enemies of their country would ask
of them, and one which is reprobated
throughout Canada."

that the whole aim of the North-
West government was to enrich
themselves out of liquor licenses.
This point had already been an-
swered by Mr. Haultain. He said
he did not know that the loss of
the Yukon territory meant any loss
in reality, and he was almost of the
opinion that considering the large
population there and the necessarily
large expense attending the admin-
istration of so remote a section, the
loss would not result in any ap-
preciable lessening of the revenue
of the Territories so far as con-
cerned the other portions of the
country. And yet the Witness as-
sumes the revenue arising from the
liquor traffic in that territory to be
the motive the government had and
for it they were willing to violate
the constitution. Mr. Haultain's
remarks are sufficient answer to
such imaginations, yet for this the
premier and government are charged
with actions suited to the worst
enemies of Canada. We cannot
prevent believing that the Witness
has allowed its usual integrity to
be misled by party motives in giv-
ing expression to such a charge,
while it admits the government
was within its jurisdiction at the
time, but which was set aside by
Dominion legislation at a later date,
which superseded the former rights
of the Territories.

REGINA.

A New Budget From the Capital—
The Grand Department—Local
and Dominion Politics.

Wednesday, Aug. 24th

A very heavy rain on Sunday
night and Monday morning de-
layed harvesting here.

The first annual flower show is
being held to-day in aid of St.
Paul's church.

Hon. Edgar Dewdney and Mrs.
Dewdney, late Lieut.-Governor of
B.C., and formerly of the N.W.T.,
visited Regina Saturday last. Mr.
Dewdney had a permit last spring
to take 3,000 gallons of liquor into
the Yukon.

A very decided stand has been
taken by the members of the As-
sembly in agreeing to keep Domini-
on politics out of N.W. Assembly
affairs. The remarks of Messrs.
Gillis, Myers and Chinkskill on this
matter were enthusiastically ap-
plauded.

The brand department is now in
full swing and a large number of
brands are going out weekly.

Messrs. Barford, Morgan and
Holt gave a successful concert at
the barracks on the 23rd.

Mr. Haultain went to Moose Jaw
to speak with Hon. Mr. Foster and
will also appear at Indian Head.
This, however, is only Dominion
affairs. Mr. Haultain is as firm as
ever in keeping Dominion politics
out of the Assembly.

Tuesday, Aug. 30th.

In the House on Friday last Mr.
Clinkskill asked leave to refer to
an article in the Regina Standard
imputing improper motives to him,
also to the Commissioner of Public
Works in dealing with a ferry in
the Battleford district last session.
Mr. Clinkskill and Mr. Ross, it is
hardly necessary to say, contradic-
ted the whole article—there was not
a word of truth in it. Mr. Mc-
Innis, the editor of the Standard
(candidate in North Regina), has
since apologized privately to Mr.
Clinkskill for his uncalled-for state-
ments contained in the paper.

Mr. Bulvey is expected to return
in a few days from the Yukon,
where he has been on government
business. Mr. Bulvey's mission, as
his constituents will no doubt be
pleased to hear, has been very suc-
cessful.

An amendment has been intro-
duced into the Pound Ordinance,
which allows poundkeepers them-
selves to impound animals trespass-
ing on their own lands. This
point was not explicit in the old
ordinance.

The following members are re-
ported to be retiring from active
legislative life at this session:
Messrs. Clinkskill, Del. Knowling
and Fearon. Mr. Mowat being a

non-resident will also retire. In
North Regina G. W. Brown, M.L.A.,
Dr. Willoughby and J. K. McInnis
are candidates. There is a consid-
erable amount of credit given to
rumors aloft that the proceedings
in connection with the dropping of
the protest in West Assiniboia will
cost McInnis the loss of a large
support in town and country.

Public accounts for last fiscal
year, and annual report Chief
License Inspector were laid on the
table of the Assembly to-day.

The Non-Com. officers of the
N.W.M.P. are giving a ball at the
barracks to-night.

Mr. Peters, formerly of the Do-
minion public works staff at Regina,
was on the train going west to-day,
en route to the coast from Montreal.

Mrs. Betts, wife of Speaker Betts,
is a guest at government house.

Dr. Bain, T. O. Davis, M.P.,
and several other oldtimers from
Prince Albert, who used to patron-
ize the Qu'Appelle route in the old
days, were in town last week.

The Regina Trading Co. are
opening up a large stock of goods
in their new store this week. The
Glasgow House is also having their
premises enlarged. All tends to
show that they are looking forward
to increased trade.

Messrs. Myers, Mitchell, Malon-
ey and MacAuley, M.L.A.'s, visited
the Indian Head experimental farm
last Saturday and were highly
pleased with their trip.

Mother Shipton's Prophecies.

Mother Shipton lived in the
latter half of the fifteenth century.
She was supposed to be the child
of the devil, says the Catholic
Sentinel, who wooed her mother
under the guise of a young forester.
When she grew up to womanhood
she lived in the forest, refused to
associate with other human beings,
and uttered her prophecies while
fleeing from those who desired to
make her acquaintance. She used
to utter her prophecies, and is said
to have foretold the innovations
which soon after followed in re-
ligion the fall of Wolsey, the
death of Sir Thomas More and other
lords and ladies, who were behead-
ed by Henry VIII. Her general
prophecies were put into doggerel
rhyme by some unknown poet, and
have been handed down through
four generations. They are, more-
over as firmly believed in by the
general English public as the pro-
phecies of St. Columbkille are by the
Irish.

The following are samples taken
from the work:

"A house of glass shall come to pass
In merry England, but alas,
War will follow with the work
In the land of the Turk.
And state and state in fierce strife
Struggle for each other's life.
Carriages without horses shall go,
And accidents fill the earth with woe.
In London Primrose Hill shall be
And the centre of a bishop's see."
(Primrose Hill, now in the heart of
London, was in Mother Shipton's time twelve
miles from the city.)
"Around the world thought shall fly
In the twinkling of an eye;
Through the hills shall ride,
And neither horse nor ass bestride;
Under water men shall walk,
Small rise, shall sleep shall talk,
Iron in the water shall float
As easily as a feather boat.
Gold shall be found and shown
In a land that is now unknown;
Fire and water shall wonder do,
And England shall admit a Jew.
Three times three shall lovely France
Be led to dance a bloody dance;
Before her people shall be free
Three tyrant rulers she shall see;
Each sprung from a different dynasty,
And when the last great fight is won
England and France shall be as one,
And now a word in uncouth rhyme,
Of what shall be in latter time,
In those wonderful far off days
Women shall get a strange odderaze
To dress like men, and breeches wear,
And cut off their beautiful locks of hair,
And ride astride with bracken brow,
As with head on horseback now.
Then love shall die and marriage cease,
And babes and sucklings so decrease
That wives shall fondle cats and dogs,
And men live much the same as hogs.
In eighteen hundred and ninety-six
Build your houses of rotten sticks;
For then that mighty war be planned
And fire and sword sweep o'er the land.
But those who live the century through
In fear and trembling this will do:
Fly to the mountains and the glens,
To hogs and fowls and wild men;
For long shall men and women rear,
And Gold be found on sea and shore,
And as for those who shall be born
Qu'Appelle station the new year be g.

THE CZAR'S MESSAGE.

THE TIMES EULOGIZES HIS MAJESTY'S HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS

The "Thunderer" Credits the Czar with Sincerity and Hails His Manifesto with Cordiality.

London, Aug. 29.—The Times says editorially: "The Czar's note breathes a spirit of generous, perhaps, indeed, almost quixotic, humanity—a spirit familiar in the effusions of visionaries, but too seldom found in utterances of great sovereigns and responsible statesmen. Never, perhaps, in modern history have aspirations which good men in all ages have regarded as at once ideal and unattainable, found so responsive an echo in the counsels of one of the greatest and most powerful of the world's rulers. In principle the proposals of the Czar, put forth on a solemn occasion, with every mark of disinterested sincerity, will command sympathy and respect from all men of good will. So far as Great Britain is concerned, we long ago abandoned continental ambitions and there is no power in the world which has less to gain or more to lose by any disturbance of existing territorial status quo. The time has long gone by when British commerce could be made to flourish in and by means of war. The greatest of our interests is peace and so sensitive is our world-wide commerce that even rumors of war often do us more injury than war itself might do to a power less dependent than Great Britain on a free interchange with the whole world of the manifold products of its native industries. If Russia, which has also a great, but still undeveloped industrial future before her, becoming fully convinced, as we in England have long been, that her resources would be better devoted to the beneficent arts of peace than to destructive unproductive wars, Englishmen, as essentially a peace-loving people, can only hail the Czar's proclamation with the utmost cordiality as glad tidings of great joy, which whatever may be the practical issue, does cast a beam upon that sovereign's generous and lofty spirit and humanity. The difficulties are great, but nothing can begethought deprive the Czar of having brought peace and disarmament into the sphere of practical politics. It looks at present as though all the great powers might be willing to enter the conference, while the United States might be expected to lend a favorable ear to proposals tending in any degree to lessen the weight of the imperial responsibilities she is about to undertake. Her industrial policy in closely akin to our own and her abiding interest in the maintenance of peace is hardly less vital."

THE CZAR A DREAMER.

London, Aug. 29.—Dr. Emil Reich, the eminent Hungarian historian and British counsel in the Venezuelan arbitration, in an interview on the subject of the Czar's peace note, expresses the belief that his Majesty is a visionary. He says: "The Czar is a dreamer. He is not in robust health and has always to take great care of his body. This scheme for universal peace is one of his dreams. It is also a faint Count Muraviev, the Russian minister for foreign affairs, hopes thereby to get a free hand in the development of Russian schemes in Manchuria."

GERMAN OPINION.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—The North German Gazette, referring to-day to the Czar's peace conference proposals, remarks: "Our armaments were never intended for selfish ends, but only for our own protection, and for the maintenance of the peace. We are willing to give a fair trial to another method of attaining that object at a smaller cost."

The National Zeitung says: "The Czar and his ministers have not decided themselves with the idea that they can rid the world of the causes which for years have been responsible for the growing armaments. When a great power, however, addresses such proposals to others, they will be recognized everywhere as deserving of the most serious consideration."

FRANCE THE OBSTACLE.

London, Aug. 29.—What is noticeable in European comment is the fact that everything is held to pivot in the action of France. De Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of the Times, puts the matter pithily. He says: "It is practically impossible that France could have been consulted before hand, because an absolutely primary condition of her sanction would be that Alsace-Lorraine should cease to belong to Germany. Bismarck once said to me: 'There are three of us who make the German empire. The German nation, our own free will to give back Alsace-Lorraine to France.' It may likewise be said of those who are at the head of France to-day and who were not responsible for the loss of Alsace-Lorraine that they would all be hanged, in spite of the apparent indifference of the nation, were they to accept a definite abandonment of Alsace-Lorraine."

PRIZE AND WELCOME.

London, Aug. 29.—This being holiday season, it is difficult to obtain the opinions of public men on the Czar's peace meeting. The religious world, however, loudly welcomed and praises the Czar's noble initiative. Numerous bishops have already publicly expressed their views in that sense. The Earl of Cromer calls the Czar's suggestion an "historical utterance," and earnestly hopes that Great Britain will not object to a conference. "No excitement is noticeable at the foreign office. It is understood that a special message was sent from St. Petersburg recently, with a full explanation of the Czar's proposal. Naturally all persons and societies connected with peace and arbitration movements are jubilant. The pope wired his congratulations to Emperor Nicholas immediately, and offered every assistance in his power to promote the proposed conference."

Captain Berre and the eight fishermen who were rescued from the brigantine La Coquette, when that vessel was run down by the steamer Norge of the Grand Banks, will leave on La Gascogne for France. The inquiry into the collision, which caused the loss of sixteen lives, will be held in Havre.

THE UNITED TYPOTHETAE OF AMERICA DECLINE CONCESSION.

The Question Was Referred to Committee to Adopt Measures Tending Toward Settlement.

Milwaukee, Aug. 26.—After struggling through three long executive sessions, during which the nine hour work day was the subject of warm debate, the United Typothetae of America today disposed of the question for the present at least by the passage of the following resolutions: Whereas, the question of establishing a nine hour work day in the printing business was brought to the attention of the convention by committees appointed by the International Printing Pressmen's and Assistants' union; and, whereas, this convention has given the question careful and earnest deliberation in all its bearings; therefore, be it resolved, by the United Typothetae of America, that this body does not deem it practicable at the present time to recommend to its members any change in the hours of labor which constitute a day's work. Resolved, that a committee of five be appointed by the convention, to whom shall be referred the question, what measure, if any, can be adopted by the employing printers which shall make a shorter work day practicable without endangering loss to the employers, and that this committee be authorized to confer with representatives of the International Printing Pressmen's and Assistants' union and other similar organizations as it may deem proper.

B. C. Elections.

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—There is no foundation for the report sent out from Victoria last night that the new government will bring on a general election in October. Premier Selwyn, the finance minister; Cotton and Attorney-General Martin were all communicated with today and denied the yarn, which it appears was made up in the office of the Turner newspapers in Victoria. The three ministers say the matter was never even considered.

A Fatal Accident.

Ware, Mass., Aug. 27.—A train on the Boston and Maine road struck a buckboard at Whiting's crossing tonight and killed five members of a pleasure party. The killed are: Geo. Whiting, aged 50; Jessie Whiting, 18; George Whiting, Jr., 13; Sadie Whiting, 20; a boy, not identified. The seriously hurt are: Harold Rich, 13; Jno. Scott, 6; Mildred Scott, 4.

ALL OVER THE DOMINION.

Owen Sound, Aug. 25.—Owen Sound today voted to reduce the number of aldermen.

Hespeler, Aug. 26.—Jacob Ross, one of the pioneers of Waterloo county, died yesterday, aged 85. He came here sixty-five years ago.

Frankfort, Ont., Aug. 26.—Reuben Moran, of this place on Tuesday night after placing an iron weight around his neck threw himself into a millpond. His body was found yesterday.

London, Aug. 26.—The directors of the Milford Dock company expect that negotiations will shortly be concluded whereby a line of steamers will be established between Milford and some Canadian port.

London, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Tomlinson, an inmate of the asylum, died from the effects of a burning she received by purposely setting her clothes on fire with a match, supposed to have been given her by a visitor.

Almonte, Aug. 28.—John Devlin, aged seventeen, of Carlton Place, was killed near the C. P. R. station here last night. He was jumping on the Winnipeg express when he accidentally fell underneath the wheels and was killed instantly.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—M. Cambon, the French ambassador at Washington, who acted as the intermediary between Spain and the United States in bringing about a suspension of hostilities, will pay a visit to Canada. He will enter this country at Niagara Falls and will cross over to Toronto, reaching that city probably on Saturday.

Work has been started on the marine railway and dry dock, which when completed, will add much to Vancouver's importance as a shipping port.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 25.—A woman's jealousy is the cause of Fred Lovelau being in a police cell charged with attempted murder, and "Trixy," a woman of the town, being apprehended charged with malicious wounding. The police were called to the "Tenderloin District" this afternoon and entered a room where a knife was being used viciously and a man and woman were fighting. Fortunately, most of the knife thrusts met nothing more solid than air. Still one of the police officers has a nasty gash across the hand, while Lovelau did not escape uninjured.

A Fatal Crossing.

Dorchester, N. B., Aug. 23.—This afternoon the Halifax express struck a carriage containing Capt. Alfred Bishop and Miss Stiles, both of Dorchester. Both were instantly killed, and Capt. Bishop's body was so mutilated as to be unrecognizable. The carriage containing the bodies was thrown forty feet, but the horse was uninjured. The grandfather of Miss Stiles was killed on the same crossing several years ago.

The six year old daughter of a blacksmith, Sam Dorley, of Richmond Hill, fell from a wagon her father was driving and was run over and almost instantly killed.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Tuesday, August 30th.

Serious riots occurred in Barbado, King Malletto, of Samoa, is dead. Famine threatens many portions of Russia. The Toronto Industrial exhibition opens to-day. The Quebec conference is holding private sessions. A serious fire broke out at London, Ont., early this morning.

There is a considerable falling off in the trade of Halifax. The Czar's peace message is received with favorable press comment. A British Columbia party condemns the Edmonton route to the Yukon. Springfield prohibitionists have organized for the plebiscite campaign.

Lord Minto will sail for Canada on November 3rd.

The plague is again raging in the Bombay presidency.

The Galicians at Strathburn are progressing satisfactorily.

The Manitoba teams made good scores in the first day of the D. R. A. matches.

British Columbia lumbermen ask reciprocity with the United States or a protective law.

Ered Johnson is suing the Dominion for damage alleged to have been suffered through malfeasance of Yukon officials.

The city council has passed the rate by-law, fixing the taxation for the year at 2 1/2 mills on the dollar.

C. P. R. earnings show a decrease for July, but an increase for the seven months of 1898.

Serious trouble between insurgents and U. S. officials is reported from Manila.

Monday, August 29. Major Walsh arrived at Seattle en route to Ottawa.

Russia has receded from her aggressive position in China.

The British advance guard is in sight of Omdurman.

The Prince of Wales is recovering from the effects of his recent accident. The Philadelphia mint received \$1,600,000 at War. Mass.

New wheat was delivered at Stockton and Myrtle.

Plans for Labor Day celebration are being perfected.

Professor Saunders reports western crops highly satisfactory.

Hon. George E. Foster addressed a Conservative meeting at Whitewood.

Sick U. S. soldiers are being brought north from the southern camps.

Hon. Joseph Chamberlain will likely visit the United States this autumn.

Five persons were killed in a railway accident at Ware, Mass.

Lieutenant Peary has sailed north for Sheard Osborne Ford.

A caucus of government supporters confirmed Mr. Semlin in the leadership.

Princess Wilhelmina will be crowned Queen of Holland on September 6th.

MacKay, the Californian millionaire, passed through Winnipeg on Saturday.

The Rat Portage strike is settled and mills all working.

Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, may be raised to the cardinalate.

Vicar General Gauthier is appointed Archbishop of Kingston.

The Czar of Russia invites the nations to a peace conference.

It is reported that Great Britain was prepared to offer her fleet to the United States in the event of European intervention.

Thomas Keith, ex-M. P. of British Columbia, complains of official misconduct in Yukon.

Friday, August 28. Eighteen firemen were injured at Bonaville.

Business sessions of the Quebec conference began on Thursday.

A storm did considerable damage at St. Agathe.

The cod fishery season in British Columbia has been extended.

The K. of P. supreme lodge held a story session discussing expenditures.

Crop reports from Manitoba and Territories points are most favorable.

IMPERIAL MILLIONS.

By Julian Hawthorne.

CHAPTER XVI.

A WEDDING KNEEL.

Now that everything had been spoken between the lovers, there seemed to be no reason why they should not be made entirely happy forthwith, and negotiations were entered into which resulted in appointing the first of May as the wedding day. The announcement formed the chief topic of polite conversation during Lent. Society took the count's dinner party as a base, and upon that erected their surmises of what the wedding would be like. It would be something worth living to see, that was certain. As to the wife, society was so unfortunate as not to know her. Olympia Raven? No. There was no recollection of such a name. She must be something remarkable. There were so many lovely girls in New York whom one did know something about; why couldn't the count? . . . However, the count was rich enough to be eccentric, and the fashion of marrying unknown girls might catch on. . . . Come to think of it, though, said Dr. Venables, "was there not an Olympia Raven mixed up in that murder trial some years ago? Why, yes! Now, there's a curious instance, Miss Hess-Hesketh, of the concatenation of ideas. Thinking of the count, you know, brought up the idea of his house. His house suggested poor old Trent, who built it. Trent suggested the trial, and the trial the persons concerned in it. There was the young fellow, Darke, the murderer, and Sallie Matchin, and then I remembered that there was some one that Darke was in love with, and—do you see?—Olympia Raven—yes, the same person. Now, that's a curious coincidence, we call them—but who knows? If you recollect, my dear Miss Hess-Hesketh, it came quite as a surprise that Sallie Matchin should have turned out to be Mrs. Harry Trent, for it was in evidence at the time that Trent was intending to marry this same Olympia Raven. But to-day the tables are turned. After that dinner party I'm sure we all expected that Sallie was going to marry the count, instead of which he throws her over and picks up her old rival, Olympia!"

Old Miss Hess-Hesketh laughed. "The girl lost nothing by my remark," she remarked. "If she'd got Trent she'd have lost the count. But I expect Sallie will be mad. I don't blame her. I'd marry the count myself if he asked me!" Miss Hess-Hesketh was seventy, and had the reputation of being the ugliest woman in New York, but she was far from being the coarsest fool.

Meanwhile the two persons chiefly concerned in the approaching ceremony had no intention of making a grand display of it. To be married was their obligation rather than a necessary nuisance than an opportunity. Olympia, in short, would be married in travelling dress. There would be accommodation for everybody at the church, but at the house, where the count would be served, not more than fifty guests were to be invited. The count had arranged the details of the affair with Garcia, who, to his many other remarkable qualities, added fine aesthetic taste and an inexhaustible inventiveness. The count had already learned by experience that whatever was left to Garcia to do was sure to be well and thoroughly done. So he laid down the general lines only that were to be followed and permitted Garcia to manage the rest.

It was a quiet Lent, and, no doubt, it was the happiest month of the lowly lives. They deserved it for the sorrows they had passed, and they needed it for the numerous disasters that lay before them. They saw each other every day. Mrs. Bannick fell in love with the count out of sympathy with Olympia, and Tom conceived a romantic tenderness for Olympia, because she was beloved by his friend the count. These four, during the March evenings, talked over many things and made plans for the future—as people still persist in doing in this world, notwithstanding the sinister experience of thousands of years of history. Mrs. Raven sat at the table near by, reading her immortal newspapers, and once in awhile Garcia made his appearance for a few minutes to report progress and to receive instructions.

One day Garcia went into a shop to make some purchases, and while waiting at the counter he was conscious of some standing near him. He turned and beheld Sallie Matchin. The unexpected encounter startled him. He had not seen her since he had heard her swear his liberty away two years before in court, except on that one occasion when she had been placed under the spell of his wizardry. He attempted to look as if he did not know her, but she smiled frankly upon him and held out her hand.

"Don't let us be enemies," she said. "You have good reason to hate me, but I have a better reason to hate you, for it was I who inflicted the injury. But I have repented, and wish you to forgive me. You are in the way of greater prosperity than I could have given you. Cannot you afford to be generous?"

"I know you better now than I did then," said Garcia.

"I'm not going to defend myself," she returned. "Let the worst be true, if you will, I am still the same woman that you knew, except that experience has made me wiser. The ambitions that I had then are gone forever. I recognize my mistakes—and my greatest mistake!" she added, in a lower tone, looking him meaningfully in the eyes. "If I had been true to you I should not stand as I do now, in hourly danger of my liberty and even of my life."

"It is too late to think of that now," said he. "I regret nothing."

"No; why should you? On the contrary, you may thank me for having acted toward you as I did, for otherwise you would now be entangled with me—a woman whom you never really loved, but who had infatuated you. My feeling toward you was more genuine than yours for me, though in my selfishness I betrayed you. And it is the same now that it was when I still deserved your preference."

"Are you trying to lime me again?" said Garcia, his face darkening.

"Well, I can't blame your suspicions," she rejoined, with a half sigh. "I am a fool to subject myself to them. But I am sure of one thing—that no one will ever know you as I do."

said he, scarcely audibly. "It is so much to ask—for the woman you have loved?"

He turned away and took a step as if to depart. "Go, then," she said, with a sigh.

He turned to her again. "I am a



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fool and a villain," he said. "Where can I see you?"

"Come to me to-night," she replied; "we shall be alone."

That evening Garcia was expected at the Bannicks' house, but he did not come. His absence was scarcely noted. The lovers had enough to think of in each other. "He has been looking rather under the weather lately," remarked the count. "I suppose he is taking a rest."

They intended after the ceremony to take a trip to Southern California where the count thought of buying some land, and they would be back in New York in June, by which time the summer dwelling on Long Island would have been completed. Here their estate extended across the island, from the sound to the sea, a region twenty miles long by ten miles in width. The house was erected within a mile of the place where once stood the hut in which Keppel Darke had passed a memorable night. The hut had been removed, but the swamp still remained.

The wedding breakfast was to be given in the Fifth avenue house. Olympia was to proceed to the church from the Bannicks', and in their company, and would there be met by the bridegroom. Mrs. Raven decided not to be present at the wedding. She would bid her daughter farewell at the breakfast, and would take up her quarters at the Fifth avenue house during their absence. These details were all settled by the night of April 30th, and at that time the lovers bade each other good-night for the last time. Thereafter they would part no more. It was a happy good-night; no shadow rested upon it. A life of sunshine lay before them.

Olympia slept soundly and was up betimes. She was in an exalted mood; her eyes deep with sweet reveries; she hummed songs to herself in a minor key; she hardly seemed conscious of her surroundings; her heart and mind were elsewhere. Mrs. Bannick helped her dress and put the finishing touches to her packing. They were to be at the church at eleven. Everything was ready by ten. There was nothing to do but wait. Olympia had been growing more and more abstracted. She looked pale, and her friend counselled her to lie down for half an hour. Olympia nodded assent, went into her room and closed the door. Mrs. Bannick, a careful housekeeper, went to the kitchen to give her orders for the day. At ten forty-five the carriage was announced. She tapped at Olympia's door, but there was no answer. She opened the door and looked in, saying, "It is time, my dear!" But no one answered. The room was empty, nor was Olympia anywhere in the house.

It took some time to establish this fact, but Mrs. Bannick was not easily frightened, and, though making every effort to find Olympia, did not permit herself to believe any harm. If she was not in the house she must have left it voluntarily—so much seemed certain. The apartment house in which their flat was contained a dozen other flats, at all of which enquiry was made, but the hall boy said that a lady had gone out half an hour before who resembled Miss Raven. She had not come down in the elevator, and he had not seen her face, but the description he gave of her dress made it practically certain that it was Olympia. He had not noticed what direction she took on leaving the house.

"Perhaps the girl has gone to the church on foot!" exclaimed Mrs. Bannick to her husband, who was looking more and more despairing. "She was so preoccupied all the morning she hardly knew where she was. She may have forgotten all about the carriage and gone on alone. It is only a few blocks off, anyway. Depend upon it, Tom, that's it."

"It may be," said Tom. "You ought to know more about your own sex than I do. If they are capable of such things, all right. We will go and see, at all events. It is long after eleven, and if your explanation is the true one the girl must have been married by this time and gone to breakfast."

"Oh, pray heaven it is so!" exclaimed his wife, fervently.

"I am afraid the devil has been taking a hand in this business," said Tom. "But come on. We shall know directly."

They were driven to the church, but had only crossed the threshold when they saw that Olympia was not there. The clergyman was there, and the bridegroom, and a thousand fashionable spectators; but the bride was—where?

Tom had to do the most unwelcome deed of his life. He went up the aisle, looked his friend in the face, and told him that Olympia had vanished. The count had already had time to feel anxious. He met the news like a man. You have not told this new ally of yours who you really are. He thinks that you are the poor wandering thing that you choose to represent. He does not know the social dignity that you might assume if you would. I have been your only confidant, and you will never have another. I have been to you what no one else can ever be. You cannot deny it, and the only satisfaction left me in life is that it is so. When are you going to have me restored?"

"That is not for me to say," he replied, biting his lips.

She put her hand upon his arm. The touch was light, but he felt it to the marrow of his bones.

"If it is to be done," said she, in a murmur, "let it be done by you. I could bear ruin that came from you—not from any other."

"Ah, yes; you think I cannot do it?"

but his countenance seemed to grow old and haggard in a few moments. "Where is Garcia?" demanded Tom. "I haven't seen him this morning."

"I suspect him of having a hand in this. —him!" said Tom, swearing out loud in church between his set teeth.

"Let us get out of this and get to work," said the count. "Tell the clergyman to notify the people. There is no time to lose."

He and Tom passed out of the door of the sacristy, while the clergyman, in sad, melodious accents, informed the people that owing to the sudden severe illness of the bride the wedding would be postponed.

[To be Continued.]

Many Lives Lost.

Thamesburg, Aug. 22.—The pearl fishing steamer Hamburg collided with the English schooner Catherine in the Channel during the prevalence of a dense fog on Sunday. All of the Catherine's crew, except the helmsman and eight men, were drowned, and one member of the crew of the Hamburg was killed in the collision.

Meat for Manila.

Brisbane, Queensland, Aug. 26.—Three thousand tons of Queensland frozen meat, valued at £1,500, has been shipped from here to Manila on board the steamers Armstrong Grange and Duke of Sutherland.

Drowned in Portage Creek.

Portage in Prairie, Aug. 28.—John Giles, Jr., was drowned in Portage Creek today while bathing. Giles and another man took a dive off a boat and when his companion rose to the surface Giles was nowhere to be seen. He was a very promising young fellow of about 23 years, was well known, and was a druggist for Jos. Taylor.

Ireland for Cardinal.

A cable from Rome says it is believed in Catholic circles that the chances of the nomination of Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, as cardinal at the next papal consistory have greatly increased, in consequence of his services in the interests of peace during the Spanish-American war.

Body Recovered.

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—The body of Robert J. Johnston, assistant park ranger, was found in the harbor this morning. Deceased had been missing since August 15. He was a native of Midland, Ontario.

Fish Season Closed.

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—On Thursday, Aug. 25, the sockeye salmon fishing season in British Columbia closed after going on record as about the worst season of any in the knowledge of the fishermen. That was yesterday, and there were no signs of fish. Today it is illegal to catch sockeyes and they are reported to be out in the Gulf of Georgia in millions before going to the Fraser river. Fortunately for the fishermen the minister of marine and fisheries has advanced the coho salmon season ten days, and on Sept. 15 fishermen will drop their net again and then all will be fish that comes to their nets, whether it be coho or sockeye.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Futures closed as follows:

Wheat—Aug. 68½; Sept. 64½ to 64¾; Dec. 61½ to 62; May 61c.
Corn—Aug. 30 to 31; Sept. 30 to 31; Dec. 30 3/4; May 32½.
Oats—Sept. 19½; May 22 to 23.
Pork—Sept. \$8.85; Oct. \$8.87 1/2; Dec. \$8.90.
Lard—Sept. \$5.77 1/2; Oct. \$5.22 1/2; Dec. \$5.27 1/2.

WINNIPEG MARKETS.

Wheat—At Brandon, 68c; Fort William, 81c.

Flour—Patent, \$2.35; strong bakers, \$2.15; second bakers, \$1.90; XXXX, per sack of 48 lbs. \$1.15.

Millfeed—Bran, \$1.11, and shorts \$1.35 per ton in bulk; large lots, 50c per ton less.

Ground Feed—Quoted at \$25 to \$25 per ton as to quality for oats. Ground corn is out of the market.

Corn—Nominal. There is none in the market.

Oats—38c to 39c per bushel of 34 lbs on track here.

Barley—Nominal. None offered.

Butter—Creamery—Firm, 18c to 18½c.

Dairy—13c for choice lots in the country.

Cheese—Ontario, 8½c; Manitoba, 9c to 9½c per lb.

Eggs—Firm; Candle stock is selling at 13½c to 14c, and dealers are paying 13c here for receipts.

Dressed Meats—Beef, 5 to 5½c; mutton, 7c to 8c; lamb, 6½c to 7c; veal, 6 to 7c.

Poultry—Live fowls, per pair, 50c to 60c; spring chickens, 25c to 30c per pair; turkeys, 10c to 11c per lb live weight; ducks, 65 to 70c per pair; geese, no demand.

Vegetables—New potatoes, 40 to 50c per bushel, as to quality; cauliflower, 40 to 50c per doz; cabbage, 25 to 40c per doz.

Green stuff is offered at 10c to 12½c per dozen bunches; celery, 20 to 25c per dozen; green peas, in pod, 2c per lb; beans, 1½c per pound; cucumbers, 15c to 25c per dozen; corn, sweet, 12½c to 15c per dozen; native corn, 8c.

Fruits—Blueberries are offering at 60c to 75c per pail. Raspberries at \$1.50 to \$2 per pail.

Hides—Green, No. 1, 7½c to 8c; kip, 7c to 7½c; calf, 7c to 8c; deskins, 15c to 20c each; sheepskins, 50c to 55c; lambskins, 40c to 50c; horse hides, 75c to \$1.75 each; colts, 25c each.

Wool—Good to choice unwashed Manitoba fleece, 9c to 9½c.

QU'APPELLE PROGRESS.

QU'APPELLE, N. W. T.

LOWER FREIGHT RATES.

Great Northern Road to Inaugurate a New Schedule.

St. Paul, Aug. 27.—The significance of the completion of the Fosston branch of the G. N. is to be realized immediately. It is the intention of President Hill to give effect at once to material rate reductions, affecting practically the entire Northwest. Yesterday the Great Northern traffic department submitted propositions to the Northern Pacific on general rate reductions, and a conference will be held some time next week. From what is understood to be the general scheme of reductions, the new tariffs will range from 10 cents first-class to 4 cents fifth class. Coal will be cut 25 cents per ton and lumber about 2-1/2 cents a hundred. Rates from Minneapolis to Duluth will be reduced somewhat though not in this proportion. The policy of Mr. Hill is evidently one which will favor the development of the country throughout which his new line proceeds. He will incur some loss in revenue, but it will more than come back to the property. To the farmer of the Northwest the grain reductions will represent hundreds of thousands of dollars. The rates will apply not only to wheat and east-bound transportation, but on all traffic for the west.

LAKE FRANCIS.

Donations for Prairie Fire Sufferers Would Still Be Acceptable.

Lake Francis, Aug. 23.—A trip through the Lake Francis district, which suffered so severely from the prairie fire visitation last fall gives evidence that the farmers who remained are making progress toward the restoration of their circumstances, which were so unexpectedly shattered by that terrible calamity. The country through which it passed exhibits proof of the fire ravages in the miles of dead trees, which although still standing, are useless for anything but firewood. The beauty of the landscape will be marred for years by these unsightly exposures and act as a reminder of the just if other signs were wanting. But notwithstanding these depressing influences there is much to cheer and the energy and perseverance under difficulties which is frequently born of misfortune is shown in the various new stables and houses which have been erected to replace the burned ones. The settlers recognize with gratitude the timely assistance given to them and even at this time a donation of food or money is not an unusual thing; it is always welcome and will be needed to enable them to meet the liabilities which were brought upon them by the disaster. The hay crop is likely to be short this season, but the few who have cultivated grain have good crops, but this can only be done for home consumption owing to the nature of the land.

Various Telegraphic Items.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—S. J. Thompson, provincial veterinarian, drove out to the hauled district around St. Agathe yesterday. The hauled out portion extends a mile in width. The storm came from the direction of La Salle and struck St. Agathe with terrible force, the large Catholic church there being moved eight feet off its foundation. The majority of the farmers hauled out will only have grain enough from the crop to supply seed for next spring. In the majority of cases the settlers can ill afford the loss of this season's work.

Workworth, Aug. 22.—Geo. Yule, aged 25, and three others were playing with a boat in McClary's pond, two miles from here, yesterday, and upset it. They all went into the water. Yule, who was the only one who could swim, got his friends safely upon the bottom of the boat, and then sank and did not rise.

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—In the Boyer murder case, before Recorder Champagne at Hull, the evidence for defense was put in today. Dr. Church, Aylmer, who examined the body shortly after the tragedy on the Eardley road, declared positively on the witness stand that he was satisfied Boyer's death was accidental.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Plans have been completed by R. A. Waite for the new offices of the G. T. R. which will be the largest suite of railway offices in the world. They will fill an area of 2,000,000 cubic feet, or 600,000 cubic feet larger than the Philadelphia and Reading offices at Philadelphia, the present largest building of the kind in the world. The building will be five stories high and the front style known as Neo-Grec. It will be commenced this autumn and finished in January, 1900.

Line From Carberry to Neepawa.

The Bell Telephone company are having material laid on the ground for a line between Carberry and Neepawa. The wire will be of heavy copper, similar to that of the C. P. R. telegraph transcontinental line, and the service will be instituted this fall.

The company has also in contemplation the establishment of a loop line between Winnipeg and Brandon, including all the principal towns north and south of the C. P. R. main line. As to this project no decision has yet been reached, but it is said on good authority that it will take practical form within the next year.

A heavy hail storm passed over La Salle, McDonald settlement, and St. Agathe, destroying all the grain which had not been cut before.

On and after Thursday, Sept. 1, sportsmen may shoot wild ducks to their hearts content.

UNABLE TO WALK.

Distressing Malady Cured by the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Right in our own village is reported another of the remarkable cures that make Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so popular throughout the land. The case is that of Mrs. E. W. Millar. The Advertiser interviewed her husband, who was glad to relate the circumstances for publication, that others might read and have a remedy put into their hands, as it were. "For five years," said Mr. Millar, my wife was unable to walk without aid. One physician diagnosed her case as coming from a spinal affection. Other doctors called the malady nervous prostration. Whatever the trouble was, she was weak and nervous. Her limbs had no strength and could not support her body. There also was a terrible weakness in her back. Three months ago she could not walk, but as a last resort, after trying many medicines, she began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Improvement was noted in a few days, and a few weeks has done wonders in restoring her health. Today she can walk without assistance. You can imagine her delight as well as my own. We owe her recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I recommend them for any case of nervous weakness or general debility."

Mr. Millar is part owner and manager of one of our lumber mills and is well known throughout the country.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapper bearing the full trade mark, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

All the honey a bee gathers during its life doesn't sweeten its sting.

CABLE NOTES.

Rome, Aug. 28.—The state of siege which has prevailed in Florence and Milan since the riots of last spring will be raised on Sept. 1.

London, Aug. 28.—The suspension of the banking department of Low's exchange in London, has created consternation among many United States visitors here, some of whom are consequently left without a penny. Ladies are continually applying to the exchange for money and at the United States embassy for advice.

London, Aug. 27.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times referring to the rumors of the Jamaican movement for annexation to the United States, says: "Spanish papers predict that the American intrigue in Jamaica will ultimately extend to Canada and result as similar intrigues in Cuba have resulted, and will prove the beginning of a nemesis to punish Great Britain for encouraging imperialism in the United States."

FIRST ON THE MARKET.

New Wheat Delivered at Stockton and Myrtle.

Stockton takes first place this season for early deliveries of new wheat. The Canada Northwest Co. elevator there took in 350 bushels of new wheat on Thursday and 1,400 bushels on Friday. If the weather continues fine threshing will be general in the Stockton district this week.

Mr. T. S. Matheson, of the Manitoba Grain Co., who returned on Saturday from a tour of the southern portion of the province, states that threshing was in progress on Saturday at Myrtle, on the line of the Northern Pacific. The wheat was loaded on the cars as threshed, but no price for it has been fixed. The sample was first class. The cutting has been delayed a couple of days by rain, during the last week, and threshing has been delayed fully a week by the wet weather.

Dollars in Diamond Dyes.

In scores of small country towns and villages in Canada enterprising men and women are adding to their yearly income by the work of dyeing for friends and neighbors around them who have not the time to do the work themselves.

These town and village dyers without exception use the Diamond Dyes in preference to all others, because they give the most brilliant, pure and unfading colors to all varieties of materials.

Hundreds of orders from these country dyers are filled every week by the manufacturers of Diamond Dyes. There are great possibilities for such work in all small parishes, and the statements just made may influence many who are seeking for a plan to increase their revenue. There are good dollars in Diamond Dyes.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

His Royal Highness Lands and Takes a Drive.

London, Aug. 28.—The Prince of Wales, yesterday, made his first landing from the royal yacht Osborne in a month, going ashore at Mount Edgecumbe, Devonport, after elaborate preparations and amid a flurry of excitement among the villagers. A houseboat from the Devonport dockyard had been fitted with a platform level with the gunwale, this was brought alongside the Osborne and made fast, furnishing a means of egress for the prince's invalid chair. A carriage from the stables of the Earl of Mount Edgecumbe, whom the prince visited, was in waiting, and in this his royal highness was installed in the most careful manner by four sailors from the yacht. The prince drove for two hours, but the horses were never to move at a faster pace than a walk.

Major Walsh left Dawson City for Ottawa on August 5th.

Pronounced Incurable by Doctors, But Made Strong and Well by Paine's Celery Compound.

WELLS & RICHARDSON CO.,

Gentlemen: Having been given up to die some time ago by some of the best doctors of the United States, I came to Canada last autumn terribly ill, and had lost all hope. Suffering agonies from inflammatory rheumatism, I was strongly urged to use Paine's Celery Compound. I gave it a trial as recommended, and the first bottle did me so much good I continued with the medicine until I had used seven bottles, when I found myself perfectly cured; indeed, I never felt better in all my life than at present.

I used every possible means to tell others of Paine's Celery Compound, and will always recommend it to those troubled with rheumatism.

Yours very truly,
WM. MORRISSETTE,
Roxton Pond, P.Q.

Coronation of Queen Wilhelmina.

The Hague, Aug. 28.—All the principal cities of Holland are making active preparations to celebrate the coronation of Queen Wilhelmina which will take place Sept. 6th. The festivities will begin several days before that date. Medals in commemoration of the event have been struck off by the government and have been given to 76,000 children in the lower schools throughout the Netherlands. A handsome triumphal arch has been erected in Willem's park, and Venetian masts are being put up everywhere along the route to the royal palace. A great crowd, including many foreigners, is expected to arrive shortly.

Sir Lypton's Generosity.

New York, Aug. 28.—Sir Thomas Lypton, challenger for the America's cup, has given \$10,000 for the alleviation of the sick and suffering United States soldiers. Edward O. Summer, a lawyer, received a cable message from Sir Thomas advising him of the contribution.

Receiver Asked For.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Mrs. C. J. Quincy, one of the stockholders of the Canadian Loan and Building association, brought suit yesterday in the supreme court for the appointment of a receiver for the association. In the bill filed the complainant charges that liquidation of the affairs of the organization was brought on by a defalcation of \$40,000 to \$50,000 by C. F. Barry, formerly vice-president; and W. Barry, the former secretary treasurer.

IMMIGRANTS FOR VENEZUELA.

Italy Will Send Out Three Thousand Families of Farmers.

Rome, Aug. 26.—A contract has been signed by the Italian colonizing society and the government of Venezuela, under the terms of which the company will send 3,000 families of agriculturists to Venezuela in three years. The Venezuelan government promises to give each family fifteen acres of good land, and the association will provide houses, other buildings, animals and farm implements, after four years the houses will become the property of the colonists.

The new telegraph line from Winnipeg to Portage la Prairie, to connect with the Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal company's line to Dauphin, was completed on Friday last, and now messages to the Dauphin line are sent direct from Winnipeg, in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway company's telegraphs.

The Niagara Central railway is closed for passenger traffic by order of the department of railways, which regards it as not in proper condition. Freight traffic will likely be closed down also in a few weeks, unless the road is put in proper repair.

TOBACCO HEART.



HAVE you been smoking a good deal lately and feel an occasional twinge of pain round your heart? Are you short of breath, nerves unbinged, sensation of pins and needles going through your arm and fingers? Better take a box or two of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and get cured before things become too serious. Here's what Mr. John James, of Caledonia, Ont., has to say about them: "I have had serious heart trouble for four years, caused by excessive use of tobacco. At times my heart would beat very rapidly and then seemed to stop beating only to commence again with unnatural rapidity. This unhealthy action of my heart caused shortness of breath, weakness and debility. I tried many medicines and spent a great deal of money but could not get any help. Last November, however, I read of a man, afflicted like myself, being cured by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I went to Roper's drug store and bought a box. When I had finished taking it I was so much better I bought another box and this completed the cure. My heart has not bothered me since, and I strongly recommend all sufferers from heart and nerve trouble, caused by excessive use of tobacco, to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a fair and faithful trial." Price 50c. a box or 3 boxes for \$1.25. all druggists. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

LAXA-LIVER PILLS cure Constipation, Biliousness and Dyspepsia. Price 25c.

Kidney Trouble FOR YEARS.

Nothing did Mr. R. E. Pitt any good until he got Doan's Kidney Pills.

Throughout the County of Leeds and the Town of Brockville there is no medicine spoken so highly of for all kinds of Kidney Diseases as Doan's Kidney Pills. As Canada's pioneer kidney pill, introduced by Mr. James Doan, of Kingsville, Ont., in 1885, they stand to-day far superior to all the imitations and substitutes that have been offered the public in their stead.

Mr. R. E. Pitt, the well-known contractor and builder, voices these sentiments when he says, "I have had kidney trouble for years. I had tried numerous remedies without much relief, and had given up my back as gone for good, but since using Doan's Kidney Pills the result has been marvellous! The pain is all gone. I feel like a new man, and can highly testify to the virtues of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all dealers or sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or 3 boxes for \$1.25. The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

A boy is always eager to go to the grocery for any purchase which he can nibble on the way home.

Brownleigh, visiting friends in the country.—I don't often get such a good supper. Johnnie, son of host—Neither do we.

Fools are too unique and bizarre to be classified.

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W. R. ALLAN, General Agent, Winnipeg

Babies have more sense than grown people; they will refuse to kiss unpleasant persons.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

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LOCAL NEWS.

A cousin of Mr. Jas. McNaughton has been spending a few days in town.

S. Collins, formerly of Qu'Appelle, returned from Ontario a few days ago.

A. E. Westbrook, of Balgonie, has been appointed inspector of lands.

Mrs. J. Fyffe has gone on a trip to the old country, where she will spend the winter.

Medicine Hat and Wolseley have applied to the Assembly for incorporation as towns.

The Gladstone Age says, "Albert Wilson, of Qu'Appelle, arrived on Tuesday, to visit friends."

Dr. Creamer and S. C. Elkington of the Fort, attended the political meeting at Whitewood on Friday last.

The tax roll for South Qu'Appelle has been printed and the secretary is now busy making out the lists.

Mrs. Hartley Gishborne went to Calgary last Monday, where she will spend a short time visiting friends.

The north switch at the station, has been altered at the west end so as to run sufficiently close to the new elevator.

Miss Susie Craig, of Edgeley, left on Tuesday evening's express, for Mooseomin to learn the art of typewriting.

Mr. T. Jones, operator at the C. P. R., is holidaying just now at the Fort. His place is filled by E. R. Bennett, of Wapella.

Mrs. F. E. Parker, and Mrs. Harvey and family have returned from camping at the Fort, where they have been for some time.

Mr. E. W. Miller received a cablegram, last week, announcing the safe arrival, with their friends in England, of his three young children.

Rev. J. F. Fraser, of Regina, took the services in the Baptist church here and at Indian Head on Sunday last. Mr. Pirie preached at Regina.

The entertainment given, in Regina last week, under the management of Mr. V. Barford, was a success financially, and the Standard speaks well of the quality of the programme.

Mrs. White, of Tilsonburg, Ont., sister of Mrs. J. R. Robinson and G. H. V. Bulyea M. L.A. is visiting with Mrs. Robinson. She has not seen her brother for sixteen years and she is anxious for his return from the Yukon, before she goes back to Ontario.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be dispensed in the Presbyterian church, next Sabbath, by Rev. S. W. Thomson. The preparatory service will take the place of the usual Thursday evening prayer-meeting.

Two brave and valiant nimrods went a-hunting for ducks on Tuesday. They say they did not go to shoot ducks, but just went hunting. According to what they brought home they evidently got all the "hunting" they wanted.

We are requested to ask all those having in their possession any of the band instruments to leave them at S. H. Caswell's store. An effort is being made to reorganize the band and it is hoped that this notice will be all that is required to gather the instruments together.

An effort is being made to work up a night-school for the benefit of the young men. We understand Mr. Law has consented to undertake the work at a reasonable figure. No doubt many will be glad of the opportunity of brightening up on some of the subjects.

The portion of section 8 T. 21 R. 15, west of the principal meridian, of the village of Qu'Appelle, lying between the Qu'Appelle river on the north and the creek running in an easterly direction on the south, has been constituted a pound district and is recorded in the last Gazette of the North West.

We mentioned last week that Mr. C. Padham, had been laid up by the bursting of a blood vessel. The case has proved more serious than was at first anticipated, and the doctor has advised his removal to the Winnipeg Hospital. As his home is in the old country, the friends of the Methodist church have provided means for the best medical treatment, and last night, Rev. Mr. Galloway, accompanied him to the hospital.

F. E. Parker, received a large sale, from Winnipeg this week.

C. Fetherstonhaugh, of the Fort, was in town on Tuesday evening.

W. T. Thomson D. L. S. is putting up a large addition to his house.

Miss Boyce is spending a week at Indian Head visiting with Mrs. Dobie.

Fall shipment of J. D. King's boots and shoes just arrived at S. H. Caswell & Co's.

A fit of blues would quickly disappear at one of Miss White's recitals. -Guardian Charlottetown P.E.I.

Read the following new advertisements, S. H. Caswell & Co.; A. McKenzie's; C. T. Bailey's; J. P. Beauchamp's; Wanted and Strayed.

Mrs. Peel and children, of Grenfell, are visiting at the Vicarage. Mrs. Peel is the daughter of the Rev. Archdeacon, of Qu'Appelle diocese.

This being Miss Kleiser's first appearance in Ottawa there was a flutter of expectation and the impression created was most favorable. Her choice of selections was well nigh faultless. -Ottawa Citizen.

A great many buildings have been or are being improved by a coat of paint. Amongst them are W. Johnston's store; C. Bailey's store; and J. P. Beauchamp's residence.

Miss E. Pauline Johnston, of the Mohawk tribe of Canada, has taken Boston by storm with recitals of her poems. She is perhaps the most unique figure in the literary world of this country. -New York Sun.

Though particulars have not come to hand, we are credibly informed that our townsman Mr. Jas. Bunyan was married in Indian Head yesterday, to Miss Hallet, of that place.

A public meeting was held at Davin, on 30th Aug., in the interests of Prohibition. The school house was packed indicating the popular interest that is being manifested in the temperance question.

Speaking of Pauline Johnston the Sketch, London, Eng. says, She is a pretty poet and she sings of the land she lives in. The Review of the same place says, Her verses have not only color and fragrance but power.

Cash contributions will be taken Sabbath next, at the Edgeley and Qu'Appelle Methodist churches towards the Temperance Campaign Funds. Friends of the cause make the best of this opportunity to help the work.

Miss Lillie Kleiser, who is winning much popularity, sang her solo with much expression. Her voice is a very fine soprano, good in every note, and the young lady has the happy faculty of knowing what to sing as well as how to sing. Miss Kleiser met with a most hearty reception. -Toronto Empire.

Mr. H. McDermid, of Aberfoyle, near Guelph, Ontario, arrived from the east yesterday morning and is the guest of Mr. Jas. McNaughton. He is on a prospecting trip and may decide to locate in this neighborhood.

Miss Annie Louise White, under the auspices of Park Hill Club, simply delighted her audience, as was indicated by round of applause after each sketch. Miss White's personality is attractive and magnetic, and in manners she is both charming and attractive, her powers of mimicry are wonderfully true. -New York World.

Several of the papers have stated that Dr. Creamer, of Qu'Appelle, is to oppose G. H. V. Bulyea at the coming Territorial elections. Had this been a decided matter, we would have mentioned it before, but Dr. Creamer, though the unanimous choice of the Liberal Conservative association, has not yet given an answer to his party.

Mr. Sait, traveller for the Winnipeg consolidated stationery company, was in town for several days this week. He was accompanied by his wife and family, one son and one daughter. In order to get a good view of the country they have driven over four hundred miles. The family only have the opportunity of meeting for a few days in the year as Miss Sait and her brother are attending school in the east.

Vernon Views.

What is the matter with our football boys that they are not kicking the ball around these beautiful nights?

The pleasure of handling such a heavy crop of wheat is sport enough for all.

Miss and Mrs. Miles and two grand-children returned from the lakes on Saturday last, where they have been camping for some time.

The other evening one of our amiable young men was seen wounding his way to

town carrying an catlehead in the back of the buggy. No doubt the nag would be more patient till the "small hours" with a bite to eat.

That wild horse still succeeds in going home alone every time it is taken to town.

We understand that Mr. E. Johnston has purchased Mr. A. T. Whiting's binder and intends cutting this year's crop with it.

Mrs. A. H. Miles spent last week visiting her sister.

F. G. Whiting lost a valuable cow last week. It was chased to death by a dog from town.

Mrs. Badger, of Egg Lake, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mattick.

The work of the church is being pushed along very rapidly. We notice people from all directions inspecting it, but they will find something that will dazzle their eyes when it is finished.

Correspondence.

Town Wells.

To the Editor of THE PROGRESS.

Sir—Permit me, through your columns, to call attention to the very unsanitary methods in which our public wells in town are allowed to be used. The ropes and pads when not in use are usually deposited in the puddle surrounding the well head, and of course when dipped convey a choice mixture of mud and excrementitious matter into the water for the enrichment of the liquid refreshment required by our citizens. Pumps, or even overhead pulleys, would remove the cause of much of this very objectionable and highly dangerous pollution. Is it necessary to await the outbreak of an epidemic before having such an important and inexpensive improvement made?

SANITARY.

Ercken Heart Bleatings.

The citizens, of Spencerville, have decided to change the name of their city to Broken Heart, the latter being much more appropriate, owing to the numerous hearts that are aching in this vicinity.

Several of the farmers around here have commenced harvesting, and judging from the appearance of the grain in the shock they may expect an excellent yield.

Most of the young people attended the temperance meeting at Stars Point on Thursday last and listened to the excellent reports given by Miss Lizzie McMichael and Mr. Bay, of the convention held at Regina on the 11th inst. Since the delegates return committees have been formed to carry on this great work, and we trust they will spare neither time nor money to win the day.

Mr. J. McMichael and a tiny bundle of sweetest visited the Experimental farm the other day.

Mr. Bray held a song service at McLean on Sunday last.

We understand J. L. Starr and F. R. Blakney have dissolved partnership, Mr. Blakney having decided to board out.

W. C. C. A. Column.

The Liberty Question.

Our opponents blinded by self-interest, attempt to blind others by an appeal to liberty. The more limitations we succeed in putting upon the sale of drink, the more will the question be asked, "What right has the majority to coerce the minority in a matter of diet?" Already the question is being put in a variety of forms whenever the question of Temperance reform has been seriously discussed. St. Paul supplies the answer, "We are members one of another"—i. e., society is a collective unity, an organic whole. This apostolic dictum has become a powerful force in legislation, in the government of our cities, and in the discussion of future reform.

Society claims the right of compelling parents to forego their children's help until they are sufficiently schooled. Society compels the rate and tax payer to provide the schooling for the poor; society forbids the employer to pay wages in kind, or to pay in a public house; society permits a town to tax its whole population for libraries, public baths, parks and play grounds, society interferes in a hundred ways with the freedom of the individual, regulating workrooms, prescribing the hours and the ages of labor, inspecting the lodging house, the dairy the slaughter yard, compelling registration of births, dealing with infectious cases or unwholesome trades insisting upon sanitary precautions.

And with what authority? The answer is, In the interests of the whole body. For the average man gains more from society than society gains from the average man. Society secures to the individual his safety, his comfort, his opportunities of improvement either in pocket or mind; and, therefore, society demands that whenever his freedom of actions tends to the manifest injury of the many, then the interests of the many must override the convenience of the individual.

Applying the above axiom of the Apostle to the question of Temperance reform, we claim the right of a parish, of a township, to say for itself whether it desires to be rid of the liquor traffic. If the people themselves demand it then the right of the people to protect themselves in this matter is indefeasible.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed, "Tender for Supplementary Outlet, Lake Manitoba," will be received at this office until Monday, 12th September next, for the excavation of a supplementary outlet for increasing and regulating the outflow of the waters of Lake Manitoba through Fairford River, according to a plan and a specification to be seen at the office of W. F. Gouin, Esq., Resident Engineer, Winnipeg Man., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
E. F. E. ROY,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 12th, 1898.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Superstructure Edmonton Bridge," will be received at this office until Tuesday, 13th September next, for the construction of the superstructure of a railway and general traffic bridge at Edmonton, N.W.T., according to plans and a specification to be seen at the office of F. K. Gibson, Esq., Town Clerk, Edmonton; at the office of W. T. Gouin, Resident Engineer, Winnipeg; at the office of C. Desjardins, Clerk of Works, Post Office Building, Montreal; and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

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